

# and Are Working For Belton

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The published statement of the banking institutions of Belton will be read with interest. As an index to conditions in the community, banks are always reliable, and especially so when they are old established institutions and when they are prosperous as is the case with all the banks of this thriving little city. There are four banks in Belton having a combined capital stock of \$117,980.00. They are The Bank of Belton, The Belton Savings & Trust Co., The Farmers Bank and The Peoples Bank.

The combined surplus account amounts to the splendid sum of \$67,900.00; the undivided profits for all the banks being \$36,107.78 or a total for surplus and undivided profits of \$104,007.78, being but a few thousands of dollars short of the entire combined capital stock for all the banks.

So much for the standing of the banks. Now as to the standing of

the community as indicated by the standing of the banks. A combined deposit account of almost a half million dollars speaks well for the independence of the people and for the prosperity of the city and adjacent territory.

The combined resources of the four banks amount to \$667,943.63—almost three-quarters of a million dollars. But the greatest resource of these banks is not evidenced by the number of figures it takes to state their standing in the financial world, but rather in the progressive policies of the several institutions, and the broad-minded and liberal way in which they do their part in the upbuilding of the city and territory contiguous. Whatever Belton amounts to and accomplishes, the men behind her financial institutions will have a large share of the credit, and will deserve it.

## COMB SAGE TEA IN HAIR TO DARKEN IN

Grandma Kept Her Locks Dark, Glossy, Thick with a Mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur

The old time mixture of sage tea and Sulphur for darkening gray streaked and faded hair is grandmothers' treatment, and folks are again using it to keep their hair a good, even color, which is quite sensible, as we are living in an age when a youthful appearance is of the greatest advantage.

Nowadays, though, we don't have the sage and the mussy mixing at home. All drug stores sell the ready-to-use product called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy" for about 50 cents a bottle. It is very popular because nobody can discover it has been applied. Simply moisten your comb or a soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also produces that soft lustre and appearance of abundance which is so attractive; besides, prevents dandruff, itching scalp and falling hair.

Each American advises children to use a tin about the Colopel hair restorer in with the same warning.

Jones, who doesn't own a motor car and is never likely to, was met at the motor show by a friend who expressed surprise to see him there.

An Appeal Made by Dr. Z. T. C. For the Institution Which Has Many Alumni Here.

Baptist Courier.

Two weeks ago in the account given to the public of the first meeting of the Board of Education, the announcement was made that the Greenville Female College was authorized to continue its efforts to secure funds to meet its present needs. As this action somewhat modifies the Bennettsville understanding it is advisable that the brotherhood at large be fully apprized of the facts which led the Board to its later conclusions. It is the purpose of this article to give these facts.

I make this statement at the request and in the name of the executive committee of the board of education as it could in the further prosecution of this work. We feel that the best assistance we can give is to place plainly before our people the considerations which caused the Board to vote unanimously and heartily for the continuance of this effort. They will mean, we trust, as much to the great body of our people who have the interest of our educational work at heart as they did to the Board of Education.

The demand that the G. F. C. have further time in which to secure funds arose, not from those connected with the college, but from members of the Furman Board, which Board had been given the right of way in the state for 1914. The necessity of the G. F. C.'s situation was so urgent that the executive committee of both of the Greenville institutions joined in the petition to the Board of Education to continue this canvass for funds.

The facts referred to above are these: The G. F. C. in making her necessary and extensive improvements was compelled in her expenditures to go beyond the money that was secured by the sale of bonds authorized Laurens Convention. These bonds realized for the institution the sum of \$75,000. This amount proved to be inadequate. It became necessary in order to get the benefits of the improvements made by the use of this \$75,000, to make other and very extensive additions. It also became necessary to purchase what is known as the Orr property. So far as I know every one, who has looked into the wisdom of the expenditures that were over and above the \$75,000. The results have been so satisfactory that there is not much room for difference of opinion on this point. The fine showing which the G. F. C. has been able to make in her current income could not otherwise have been possible.

A good deal of the money that was borrowed over and above that obtained by the sale of the bonds, has been paid. Out of this debt there yet remains \$11,800. This money is borrowed, the bulk of it, from the banks in Greenville. It is secured, some of it by a mortgage on the Orr

property, other amounts by the endorsement of individuals, and still others by the endorsement of the officials of the institutions.

The G. F. C. has therefore two kinds of debts, the bonded debt and this other to the banks, which may be called its floating debt. (The institution owes no money for running expenses. Rather its current income has helped handsomely on its improvement debts.) Now, as every one can see, it is the floating debt that constitutes the immediate danger point. And that it is a danger point, a blind man can see. The bonded debt runs for ten years and nothing but the interest can be called for provided the interest is paid. But the floating debt is not thus provided for, nor can it be. Within this year it is practically all due and hence both principal and interest can be called for. The banks that are carrying this debt have been unusually kind; but they are banks and not benevolent organizations. Their kindness has very definite limits which can not be disregarded.

The campaign of Dr. Chapman has resulted in about \$50,000 in notes and cash. The amount of cash received above the expenses of the campaign was, at the beginning of this year, about \$7,500. It can be seen from this that it is not possible to hope for enough money from the notes already received to meet the floating debt; and it is almost certain that if the effort to secure more money for this school had closed with 1913 much of the floating debt would already have been called for, to the embarrassment and perhaps permanent injury or loss of the institution.

Such are the facts. When they were placed before the board of education it most earnestly endorsed the proposition that the G. F. C. be permitted to continue its efforts to secure funds.

On their face, these facts carry the imperative plea of the institution. The G. F. C. is wonderfully prosperous. It is doing a great work, and the kind of work our churches must have done. The money used in its better equipment was wisely spent. If the improvements had not been made we would have to begin them tomorrow; provided we would hope to continue this school in college work.

In its further prosecution of this effort the college has been fortunate in retaining Dr. J. D. Chapman, who for more than a year has pursued his heavy task with great zeal and commendable success. We speak for him and his cause the sympathy, co-operation and liberal help of our pastors and people.

Dr. Z. T. C. CODE, Chairman of Ex. Com. CHILDREN'S LIBRARY

Atlanta, Jan. 22—A Georgia town Griffin has gained the distinction of being the first community in the United States to have a public library for children only, as the result of a \$7,000.

Mr. Hawkes has received the formal notice of acceptance of the gift, and by unanimous action the mayor and council of Griffin have agreed to provide for the proper maintenance of the institution, which will be a model of its kind.

By the generous terms of Mr. Hawkes gift, the only obligation of a pecuniary nature fixed upon the people of Griffin is that they shall furnish a suitable centrally located lot for the erection of the building.

This building is to contain, in addition to library facilities, a hall for lyceum courses and suitable motion picture exhibitions for children.

The plan is that the motion picture library and lyceum shall all be free forever for the children of Griffin. Only such motion pictures shall be shown as are historical, educational and moral in their character.

Mr. Hawkes expresses the desire that four ministers be selected from the evangelical churches to serve as trustees of the Library Association, together with three leading business men.

The chief objection raised to the legislation is that it is unnecessary and inexpedient. The Senate debated the resolution providing for the legislation at length Thursday morning, but took no action on it.

## PLANT Your Garden!

Take advantage of this fine weather and get an early Garden it should be planted now.

English Peas, Onion Sets, Lettuce, Beet, Radish and Cabbage Seed. Also Cabbage and Bermuda Onion Plants should be set out now.

We have just received a full stock of the above.

Come in to see us when in need of anything in the Drug line.

## FRIERSON'S Pharmacy.

We are making a New Style of Post Cards—Call and see them at TAYLOR'S Belton's New Studio

## This Is How Mexicans Fight.



MEXICAN federals and rebels are used to guerrilla warfare. Fighting in the mountains comes natural to them. This picture shows how they are fighting in the mountains. The picture is often expressed that Americans could not stand it in the mountains.

## STOMACH SUFFERERS

If You Wish To Obtain Complete and Permanent Results Try May's Wonderful Stomach Remedy One Dose Will Convince You



May's Wonderful Stomach Remedy is well known throughout the country. Many thousands of people have taken it for indigestion, liver and intestinal ailments and find it a reliable and are highly praising it to others. Astonishing benefits sufferers have received even from one dose are heard every day and testify to the marvellous nature of this remedy. It cures all those afflicted with Stomach, Liver and Intestinal Ailments, Indigestion, Gas in the Stomach and Intestines, Flatulency, Burning Stomach, Colic Attacks, Torpid Liver, Constipation, etc., caused by all kinds of food. The benefits stomach sufferers who have taken May's Wonderful Stomach Remedy have received it in most cases a lasting one. After you have taken this Remedy you should be able to digest and assimilate your food, enable the heart to pump pure red blood in every part of the body, giving firmness and strength to flesh and muscle, leave and sparkle to the eye, clearness and color to the complexion and vitality and brilliancy to the hair. Do away with your pain and suffering and this is often possible with even one dose of May's Wonderful Stomach Remedy. Interesting literature and booklet describing Stomach Ailments sent free by Geo. H. May, Mfg. Chemist, 154-156, Walling St., London, E.C.4, England.

Sold by Evans Pharmacy Co., Frierson's Pharmacy, Belton and all drug stores.

## DRUGS EXCITE YOUR KIDNEYS, USE SALTS

If your Back is Aching or Bladder Bothers, Drink Lots of Water and Eat Less Meat.

When your kidneys hurt and your back feels sore, don't get scared and proceed to load your stomach with a lot of drugs that excite the kidneys and irritate the entire urinary tract. Keep your kidneys clean like you keep your bowels clean by flushing them with harmless salts which removes the body ruminous waste and stimulates them to their normal activity. The function of the kidney is to filter the blood. In 24 hours they strain from it 500 grains of acid and waste, so we can readily understand the vital importance of keeping the kidneys active.

Drink lots of water—you can't drink too much; also get from any pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a teaspoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning for a few days and your kidneys will act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate clogged kidneys; also to neutralize acids in the urine; so it is longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which every one should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean and active. Try this, also keep up the water drinking, and no doubt you will wonder what became of your kidney trouble and backache.

Some women are so sloppy that they can wear a Bird of Paradise on a hat and make it look like it came from a ten cent store.

## STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION

# The Bank of Belton

BELTON, S. C.

At the Close of Business Jan. 13, 1914.

(Frogs Report to State Bank Examiner.)

Resources	Liabilities
Loans and Discounts .....	Capital Stock .....
Real Estate and Banking .....	Surplus (earned) .....
House .....	Undivided Profits .....
Furniture and Fixtures .....	Dividends Paid .....
Overdrafts .....	Deposits .....
Cash on Hand and in Banks .....	
\$359,357.42	\$359,357.42

ELLISON A. SMYTH, WALTER E. GREER, HENRY R. CAMPBELL, President Vice-Pres. & Cashier. Asst. Cashier.

## Statement of the Condition of THE PEOPLES BANK

Located at Belton, S. C., at the Close of Business January 13, 1914.

Resources	Liabilities
Loans and Discounts .....	Capital Stock Paid in .....
Overdrafts .....	Surplus Fund .....
Furniture and Fixtures .....	Undivided Profits less Current Expenses and Taxes Paid .....
Due from Banks and Bankers .....	Individual Deposits Subject to Check .....
Currency .....	Demand Certificates of Deposit .....
Gold .....	Cashier's Checks .....
Silver and Other Minor Coin .....	
Checks and Cash Items .....	
Anderson County C. H. Association .....	
Demand Loan .....	
Total .....	68,621.50

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, County of Anderson, ss. Before me, W. D. Cox, Cashier of the above named bank, who being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing statement is a true condition of said bank, as shown by the books of said bank.

W. D. COX, Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 22nd day of January, 1914.

HENRY R. CAMPBELL, Notary Public.

Current Attend: J. T. Rice, J. H. McCrea, J. Q. East, Directors.

## Statement of the Condition of THE FARMERS BANK

Located at Belton, S. C., at the Close of Business, Jan. 13, 1914.

Resources	Liabilities
Loans and Discounts .....	Capital Stock Paid in .....
Overdrafts .....	Surplus Fund .....
Furniture and Fixtures .....	Undivided Profits less Current Expenses and Taxes Paid .....
Banking House .....	Individual Deposits Subject to Check .....
Due from Banks and Bankers .....	Demand Certificates of Deposit .....
Due from Banks and Bankers .....	
Currency .....	
Gold .....	
Silver and Other Minor Coin .....	
Checks and Cash Items .....	
Total .....	\$125,999.27

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, County of Anderson, ss. Before me, C. M. Horton, Cashier of the above named bank, who being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing statement is a true condition of said bank, as shown by the books of said bank.

C. M. HORTON, Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 22nd day of January, 1914.

CHRIST ATLAS, Notary Public.

Current Attend: R. J. Campbell, W. R. Haynie, John A. Horton, Directors.

The Emperor of Germany is saying woe, but in this country it is fellow does that in his back yard, the neighbor don't call on his wife, only a said.

Thirty acre Field of Cotton on farm of W. E. Tolison, Piedmont, S. C. raised by UNION GUANO COMPANY'S Fertilizers. Mr. Tolison is one of the thousands of satisfied customers using these Fertilizers. Ask your dealer for our goods and accept a substitute.

A better Fertilizer will produce a better crop. "UNION BRANDS" have demonstrated to many of the best planters in your own county their superior "crop producing" qualities. Ask the man who uses them.

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 Bennett Mercantile Co., Easley. Victor Mercantile Co., Williamston. Empire Mercantile Co., Williamston.  
 P. F. Cox, Greenville. J. B. Denton, Sandy Springs.  
 and many other dealers in Anderson, Greenville and Pickens counties. For further information write our representative at Anderson, Mr. R. E. Burris or address UNION GUANO COMPANY, Winston-Salem, N. C.